Attorney Docket No.: JFE-06-1071

In re Application of Mitsuo Kimura et al.

Serial No.:

10/576,885

Filed:

April 24, 2006

For:

Sir:

HIGHLY ANTICORROSIVE HIGH STRENGTH STAINLESS STEEL PIPE FOR LINEPIPE AND

METHOD FOR MANUFACTURING SAME

Mail Stop Amendment

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

A response to the outstanding official action in the above-identified application is enclosed.

	Small entity status of this	s application under 37 CFR	§1.9 and	§1.27 has been	established
--	-----------------------------	----------------------------	----------	----------------	-------------

This is a Petition for an Extension of Time for the period noted below, as well as for any additional period necessary to render this submission timely.

No additional fee is required. X

					SMALL	ENTITY	OTHER '	
TIME EXTENSIO	N PETITION FEE	No. of month(s):		\$0.00		\$0.00		
·	sion fee previously	No. of month(s):		(\$0.00)		(\$0.00)		
		TO	TAL EXTENSION FEE DUE		\$0.00		\$0.00	
CLAIM FEE	CLAIM(S) REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NUMBER PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIM(S) PRESENT	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE	RATE	ADD'L CLAIM FEE
TOTAL	9	MINUS	24	= 0	x 25=	\$	x 50==	\$0.00
INDEPENDENT	1	MINUS.	3	= 0	x 105=	\$	x 210=	\$0.00
	FIRST PRESENT	F MULTIPLE CLAIM(S)		+ 185= TOTAL	<u>\$</u>	+ 370= TOTAL	\$0.00 \$0.00	

	Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-2719 in the amount of \$			
	A check in the amount of \$ is attached.			
X	The Commissioner is authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credi any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-2719. Any filing fees under 37 CFR §1.16 for the presentation of extra claims.			

Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR §1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

T. Daniel Christenbury, Reg. No. 31,750

Attorney for Applicants

TDC/vbm (215)656-3381

X

PHILI\3859589.1